## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 501 By Burks

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Ginger Almon for outstanding work as an intern for Senator Burks.

WHEREAS, Mary "Ginger" Almon, a student at Tennessee Technological University, was one of the select few chosen from a vast pool of applicants to serve in the enviable position of legislative intern for the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Ginger has performed her many duties with unflagging diligence and loyalty, displaying much skill and intelligence in the process and earning respect from her peers and members of the General Assembly alike; and

WHEREAS, while attending Tennessee Tech, Ginger has established outstanding academic credentials, majoring in history; and

WHEREAS, Ginger has been a constant source of pride to her loving parents in Tennessee and Georgia; and

WHEREAS, Ginger's calm disposition and congenial manner were able to soothe any troubled water sometimes encountered in a busy and demanding Senate office, and Senator Burks and his permanent staff will truly miss her presence at the end of this legislative session; and

WHEREAS, Ginger Almon has performed her many responsibilities with ingenuity, decorum, understanding, and ability that is rarely found in legislative interns; and

WHEREAS, Ginger will forever have vivid memories and nightmares of Senate Bill No. 3229; she has completed expert research in the field of phylogeny, has become knowledgeable

in the distinction between facts and theories, and has been recognized by several U.S. states and foreign countries; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend Ginger Almon for her outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Tommy Burks and wish her much success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation to Ms. Almon, with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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